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DANCE MELA 2023 THE PROUD CHAMPIONS





MILESTONE 1

A friend is someone who understands your past, believes in your future, and accepts you just the way you are!!!

Buddy Day@TGWS...



MILESTONE 2

It was some great times and some great moments... I'm proud to be a TGWS Alumni. If it wasn't for my time there, there's no way I'd be excelling in my field!!! Open up by our Alumni.



MILESTONE 3

Great achievement is usually born of great sacrifice, and is never the result of selfishness proven by our TGWian's Dance Troupe.



Buddy Day 2023

Students of The GeeKay World School, Ranipet, celebrated 'Buddy day' on 4th February, 2023, in the school campus. The school organized the event in an engrossing way, by welcoming them to the first session of the programme called Ice Breaking Activity. They were then taken for a school tour.

Students and their buddies participated and played a variety of games on the school ground which built in great connectivity and team spirit.

They also had a great time watching some wonderful dances. Buddies are very important people in our lives. They provide support at all times. Children loved the lip-smacking snacks served to them and heartily enjoyed precious moments spent in the company of their best buddies. The day ended with an Art & Craft activity of framing a photo, of theirs, which was simply astounding!!!

Well done Buddies. Hope to see you soon with us!!!













Annual Alumni Meet 2023

"As a leader, it is important to not just see your own success, but focus on the success of others". Sundar Pichai

The GeeKay World School Annual Alumni Meet 2023 was organized in the campus on 18th February, 2023 with lots of zeal and enthusiasm to reconnect with the Alumni and celebrate their success stories and achievements in various fields and parts of the world.

Around sixty five Alumni attended the Alumni Meet. They were greeted at their School by the Head of School, teachers, students and management with lots of happiness and pride. The programme began with a prayer. Ms. Mujeeba, CBSE Coordinator welcomed the gathering. A few cultural events were organized for them. Ms. Sharon, CAIE English Facilitator and Mr. Manigandan, Sports HOD conducted games as a part of the Ice Breaking Activity. Ms. Joyce presented a PPT titled Memories of School Days. The Alumni enjoyed watching all the events and recounted their old School days. The most important event was the interaction between the Alumni and Grade 11 students. They raised queries on colleges, courses, internships, placements, workshops and the challenges they faced with the reality. It was a beautiful moment to listen to their real-life experiences. Our Managing Director Mr. Vinod Gandhi addressed the Alumni and requested to build the Alumni Community into a strong and vibrant association every year. He also wished them for their future endeavours.

Alumni appreciated the positive role played by the teachers and the school in shaping their careers and lives. Friendly cricket and throwball matches were held between Staff and Alumni. It was a great moment to watch them play in their old School Ground The programme came to an end with the vote of thanks proposed by Mr. Boopathy, followed by the National Anthem.



Dance Mela 2023

The Round Table International - Vellore organised a dance Mela on 28th January, 2023 to identify the talents of budding artists. Students of TGWS were immensely excited and pleased to be a part of this competition as they could showcase their talents in various conventional and contemporary dance forms.

Our students participated and gave their best in the following categories - Solo Classical (Senior) - Bharatanatyam, Group Free Style(Junior), Group Indian Folk (Senior) & Group Indo Western (Senior). Our children grandiosely walked away with the following prizes and also won the overall Championship.

Group Indo Western (Seniors)- First Place Group Free Style (Juniors) - First Place Group Indian Folk (Seniors) - Second Place

We, at TGWS believe that students will progress and develop faster when they are constantly in healthy competition with their peers. In addition to displaying our student's talents, it was also an opportunity for our children to interact with other budding dancers.

Congratulations young Dancers. We are proud of you!







Leadership Activity

Middle School - Design a Product

The Leadership Activity (LSA) project for the month conducted on 15th February, 2023 was "Design a Product". This was to encourage the creative potential hiding within students for them to bring them across in front of the others in the form of certain products that are a creation of their own imagination and presented in reality. There were some fabulous ideas that came across from the different grades. It's amazing to see what all our students can come up with, when provided a platform to bring their imagination to life.

The students were gauged on the basis of their presentation of the idea. The presentation was divided into two parts: A PowerPoint slide with their idea conveyed with images, text and other visual effects, the second part was their verbal presentation of the same in front of the audience to inform them about their innovation, its utility, its specialty to spark the curiosity of the audience to know more about it or to be interested in having something like that with them.

It was a great experience to witness ideas coming to life within a classroom!







Competitions Spell Bee @VIT

The Geekay World School took part in the "School - A - Coaster" event, held in VIT Vellore, in association with India Spell Bee on 11th of February, 2023. In this event, 16 schools participated. Two different examinations were held, Spell Bee and Math Bee, where each had a total of 2 rounds at two different levels (Middle & High School). From TGWS, 40 passionate Geekaians participated.

After round one of the competition, 5 students from Spell Bee and 3 students from Math Bee of category 1 surpassed in the first round and were taking part in round 2, and 2 students from Spell Bee and 5 students from Math Bee of category 2 excelled the first round, proudly took part in round 2. Shiprah of Grade 6 brought laurels to TGWS by winning the second prize in the final round of SpellBee.

It's not always about winning or losing, it is about the experiences you gain and the lessons you learn. One day these things will majorly help us, in touching success.

SOF Results

We are happy share that eight students of TGWS qualified for the second level of SOF. The second level examination was conducted on 12th February, 2023.

S.no	Class	Student's Name	Exam
1.	G3	Vishwaa.V.L	NSO & IMO
2	G4	Sujan.P.S	NSO
3	G4	Harshavandhana.V	IMO
4	G5	Sneha.M	NSO & IMO
5	G6	Ashwin	NSO
6	G6	Sadhana	IMO
7	G7	Dhruv Charan	NSO
8	G8	Miruthula	NSO



National Science Day

National Science Day is celebrated in India on 28th February each year to mark 'the discovery of the Raman effect' by Indian physicist Sir C. V. Raman. The District Science Centre, Vellore organised the Science Day Celebration – 2023 as every year in which, the Geekay World School also took part. Our quiz team won third place and Mirudhula D of Grade VIII also won a second place in Tamil essay competition. Our students participated in Painting, Elocution, Essay Writing and Quiz competitions on Science topics.



Spell bee level 3 Results

The 3rd level of the Spell Bee online examination was conducted on the 5th of February, 2023.

NAME	GRADE	NAME	GRADE	NAME	GRADE
Lakshitha V	1	Svaksha V	Ш	Mohammed Ashaad S	VII
Ridhvi Y	I	Shazneen H	II	Mirudhula D	VIII
Yogin P	I	Kanya S	III	Anbuchelvan	VIII
Shasika V	I	Vishwaa V. L	III	Ohmnesh	VIII
Dhiyaneshwar P	I	Sree Vallaban	III	Hasika Vinod	IX
Poorvi Dhanya Sri S	I	Harshan	IV	Sachit V	III

Quiz Week - Primary

An Inter house quiz was conducted on 24th February, 2023 by Ms. Afreen in the morning assembly. We had a buzzing and energetic quiz week from which the finalists were selected. Our motto is to open up the passion for quizzing in students. All the four houses enthusiastically participated and will be real assets for future quizzes.

MSRP Middle School Readiness Programme

The "Middle School Readiness Programme" is a pivotal initiative that aims to guarantee a seamless transition from primary to middle school.

Designing a further stage of accomplishment implies a fourth level of thought and precise preparation! TGWS always "Thinks Beyond" to accelerate our children's development in every way!

Transition is always significant, and youngsters must promote meaningful adaptations to their multiple skills in hopes of preserving their life quality and discovering in a unified and persistent manner. This programme helps both students and teachers establish a good bond and keep on top of the children's learning.



Assembly

Upper Primary

True happiness comes from the effort of making others happy. Giving and sharing your love everyday was the concept of the assembly conducted on 17th February, 2023. Students of G4 & 5 highlighted how the power of sharing love plays a vital role throughout one's life. The assembly ended with the Thirukkural activity.



Middle School Grade b

On 15th January 2023, the Middle School assembly was performed by our very own enthusiastic Grade 6, who put on a show with a fusion of multiple art forms: mime, portrayal and dance... added on by certificates and prize distribution to our champs in different fields like English and Math Spellbee along with athletic meets. The theme of the assembly was "Attitude", where the positive and negative attitude traits were displayed in front of the audience in an exciting mime show sending the message that we all have both those attributes within us. It's all in how we regulate the positives and negatives within us to cultivate an attitude that's either respected or refuted by the environment we are a part of, wherever we are, whoever we interact with.

Finally, there was a portrayal to have a glimpse into the adversities that one may face as a result of cultivating a negative attitude within themselves, and also a dance performance to shed a light on how a positive attribute can make one rise and shine with time. This was followed by the prize and certificates distribution to our participants in various events.

The highlight of the assembly was the participation of majority of the students from Grade 6, participating in the different aspects of the entire presentation from the beginning to the conclusion. Bravo! Grade 6.









Public Speaking Assembly

On 22nd February, 2023, We in The GeeKay World School had the final round of assessment for our students undergoing Public Speaking classes. This event was conducted in the form of an assembly for the Primary and Middle Schools.

The Primary School presentation included a total of 16 participants from Grades 4 and 5, who secured 6 medals. Here, in this category, the topic for Grade 4 was "Who is My Favourite Hero" and for Grade 5, it was "If I Rule the World". The Middle School team started the presentation with an impressive count of about 30 participants, who also secured 6 medals (3 for Grade 6 and 3 for Grade 7). The topic that these participants had to present in front of the audience was "Their Own Self Returning After 15 Years to Address the Students in the Assembly About How They Achieved Their Ambition."

We also had some of our Grade 8 students expressing their views and opinions about the way the participants presented themselves in front of the audience. They were really impressed by the talent showcased, and finally congratulated our speakers for a job well done to further motivate them. The entire event was a spectacular display of the Art of Oration in front of the entire audience including the students, teachers, coordinators, the public speaking coach Mr. Vinay and our HOS Mr. Ram Kumar. The students expressed their imagination in words in their own way of presentation with their unique signature.

We hope to see them blooming and grooming themselves better to become outstanding orators of the future.







Grade 7 Beta

Grade 7 Beta conducted assembly on 8th February, 2023 on the topic" Confidence". The assembly started with "Thought for the day" by Navin followed by 'a new word' by Domeshwar. Idioms and phrases was shared by Mohammed Saalim. Shiphra gave a presentation on the topic "Why Self-confidence is important to achieve goals and fulfil wishes". It was more like an interactive session and students' interaction was the most interesting part of the assembly. The whole assembly was hosted by Tarish Raghavan and Charen. The Assembly finally ended up with school song and National Anthem.

Secondary & Senior Secondary

"Space exploration is the use of astronomy and space technology to explore outer space". Students of Grade 9 conducted an assembly on "SPACE" on 9th February.

Students of Grade 11 conducted an assembly on "Conspiracy theory" on 22nd February.



CAIE

Grade 9 IGCSE conducted an assembly on Innovation Day on 16th February, 2023.



Secondary PTM

PTM for Pre Board – III & IV for Grade X was scheduled on 17th February, 2023. There was a great response from the parents. The parents met the HRTs and the Subject Teachers individually and learnt about the progress of their wards.

CBSE Board Examination

CBSE Board Examination commenced on 16th Feb for Grade XII and 24th Feb for Grade 10. It will end on March 31st. Our prayers and best wishes to all our board going students.



CAIE

Parent Teacher Meeting - Unit Test 4

Parent-teacher Meeting is one of the important activity of any school. PTM is a great opportunity for both the teacher and parents to work for the betterment of the child. We are pleased to report that Grade VIII students have shown remarkable improvement in their academic. They have demonstrated a good understanding of the concepts and have performed well in the test.

In Grade IX, the students have shown a good understanding of the concepts and have performed well in the test. They have demonstrated their ability to apply their knowledge in practical situations, which is a great sign of their progress. They have demonstrated their ability to work independently and in groups, which is a crucial skill for their academic and personal development. We encourage the students to keep up the good work and continue to strive for academic excellence.

As always, we appreciate the support of the parents in the students' education. We encourage parents to be actively involved in their children's studies and to communicate with the teachers about any concerns they may have.

BLUB WORLD Web Talks

On 15th February, 2023 BLUB WORLD conducted a web talk under the topic "Replacing text books with Chat GPT". Mr. Senthil Kumar, Coordinator-CAIE participated as a speaker in the event and explained the potential of using Chat GPT as a replacement for traditional textbooks.

The event focused on the benefits of using this cutting-edge technology for educational purposes and provided a platform for the education community to share their thoughts and experiences.



IC3 Regional Forum

The 2023 IC3 Regional Forum was held in Chennai on 8th February, 2023. It was hosted by Lalaji Memorial Omega International School, Chennai. It is created an insight to Career Guidance for School Students. Mr. Boopathy, H.O.D French attended the session. It was a great experience for him meeting colleagues from High Schools in the Region and Universities around the world.

Mr. Ganesh Kohli, IC3 Founder was one of the resource persons. He gave an insight about the events and sessions organized for Career Counselling and guidance. University Representatives briefed an array of procedures for registration in Foreign Universities, scholarship, course duration and eligibility criteria. Brochures of different universities were shared and discussed in the session. Mr.Balasubramanian (Chairperson, International Council for School Leadership, India) shared his experience on impact of counseling in schools and students behavior post Covid.





Pariksha Pe Charcha 2023 Prime Minister Narendra Modi's interaction with Exam Warriors

The Live telecast of Pariksha Pe Charcha 2023 was screened for students of Grades X and XII on 27th January, 2023 to listen to the interaction of our Honourable Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi with students and teachers. It was an hour's interaction with the Prime Minister on various examination related issues.

Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi, stressed on the message that "Hard work will bring colours in the students' lives". He insisted Students to believe in their inner strength which will enable them to reach the heights of success.

During his interaction he discussed on success and failure, aspirations, use of technology, stress, challenges and time management. He asked the students to create 'No Technology Zone' at home to minimize the use of mobile phones.





Sports

State Level Inter School Athletic Championship

On Sunday, 12th February, 2023 at SDAT, Nehru Park Chetpet, Chennai, our students participated in a State Level Inter School Athletic Championship 2023.

The details of prizes won are as follows...

S.NO	NAME OF THE STUDENT	GRADE	EVENT	MEDAL
1	S. ADITHYA	II	MEDICINE BALL THROW	GOLD
2	V. SANGAMITHRA	IX	200 MTS	GOLD
3	S. ASHWIN	VIII	SHOT PUT	SILVER



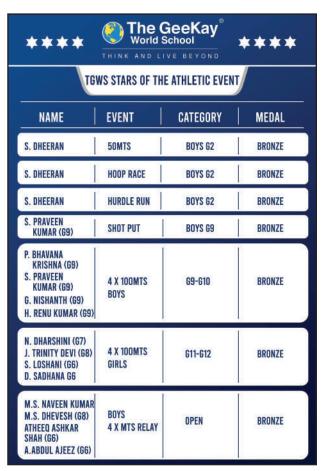
Inter School Atheletic Competition

TGWS excels in Inter-School Athletic Meet.

The budding young athletes of TGWS participated in the Inter-School Athletic Meet held on 4th January, 2023 in connection with the 74th Republic Day at Sriperambadur and brought laurels to the school. Our energetic athletes won 16 Bronze medals in this event and were placed in Overall Third Position.

Congratulations! Make winning a habit...





Teacher's Corner

The Tamilnadu Ministry of Sports had conducted CM Trophy Competition all over Tamilnadu State in which one of our Sports Staff, Mr. Prabhakaran participated in open category representing TGWS and won the first position in the following athletic events,

100 mts Dash Long jump





CM Trophy Competitions Swimming

On Wednesday, 22nd February, 2023 at The Geekay World School, Students participated in the CM Trophy swimming competition - 2023.

The list of winners from TGWS are as follows...



Student Article

You can see me high, in the sky, red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo, violet, are the colours, that make me bright, it makes the children, happy and cheerful.

- Vetrichelvan G4 BETA

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN IN A GREAT DIFFICULTY, AND FELTTHAT ONLY A MIRACLE COULD HELP YOU? HOW WAS YOUR PROBLEM SOLVED? SPEAK ABOUT THIS IN CLASS WITH YOUR TEACHER.

Yes I in great difficulty and felt that only a miracle could help me. When I was 9 years old, I mistakenly swallowed a rupee coin while trying to hide the coin from my grandmother. I kept it in my mouth to hide but I swallowed it unfortunately while swallowing saliva. Then I shouted and brought the problem to my family members notice. Hearing it everyone were serious and my grandpa tilted me upside down and started to shake me. But he was failed in his rescue mission. My mom informed dad who was in the office at that time. Hearing it my father rushed to our home. Then me, my dad and my mom went to Apollo KH Hospital in Vellore. My mom cried for me but I was so normal. My dad gave confidence to my mom. Then we reached the hospital. I got scared due to the hospital smell as I am allergic to it. Then doctor took scan and said I am very serious as the coin is so near the windpipe. Hearing this my mom was so scared but my dad had faith in doctors so he remained calm. Without shaking me the doctor took me into the operation theatre. They slowly inserted a magnetic pipe into my mouth. It pained a lot, but the doctor took the coin out of my mouth safely. Then doctor thanked god and sent me safely with my parents. They gave the coin in an air tight cover which is still stored as a memory in my wardrobe.

-Santhosh P G9 Beta



Life

Some say life is great,
But others treat life with hate.
Nothing to do as much,
Nothing to think of such.
Suicide on the left and right,
Their loved ones filled with shock and fright.

Depression getting strong, Sad emotions getting long. Happiness fading away... But all to say, it is too late...

Life isn't a person and never easy, So treat it like it's a baby. Nothing in it might be fun, But don't let your story be quickly done.

-Harsh Jain S G7 Alpha



Art Corner







Nakshatra G9 Alpha



Prateeka G8 Alpha



Hemesh G6



Shubranshu G9 Alpha



Selva Ganesh G12



Teacher Talk

Greetings everyone!

In a world of today, I observe all the time that most of us seem to be lost in finding the true meaning of the term "Education". What is education? Is literacy the same as education? Is there a difference between the two?...some of the questions that I used to ponder upon...the similarities and differences that we find blurred within ourself. Finally, after struggles, adversities, success and failures through years as a literate individual, I could only consider myself as "Educated" with what the experiences and challenges taught me in life. The learning was that "The ability to read and write just makes me merely literate -- But, I can call myself educated when I know how to make what I learn a part of myself, my decision making and the way I see, respond and react to the situations, surroundings and environment around me."

There's no other place better than a school where we can truly become educated where our quest to become literate can be merged with experiential learning, being involved in the learning phase to influence our attitude and personalities in a positive manner. The result can be a tribe of individuals who are equipped with the 21st Century Skills to succeed in life by adding value to the literacy that they carry with themselves as academic documentation...The education, they carry with them as their own identity, the individuals they become...educated, self-aware, self-reliant, responsible and reliable human beings who can bring pride to everyone associated with them.

I am delighted to be a part of this outstanding institution... a house of learning that shares the same vision and mission that gives me the purpose of being who I am...a Facilitator, an Educator. This is a haven of mature individuals sharing genuine care and compassion towards the students, staff, parents...the system and every single stakeholder as a whole.

Wherever there is light, there's darkness, too.....wherever there are accomplishments, there are challenges, too, as they're everywhere -- But, challenges also pave a way for us to learn better, grow better and become a better version of ourself through time.

I am grateful to The GeeKay World School for offering me this platform to take forward my journey of educating students, self improvement, personal and professional growth. This astonishing journey with passion, joy, challenges and satisfaction. Our students of today are the ones holding the keys to tomorrow!

"Think and Live Beyond!" Let's be Educated in Life, not just merely literate on papers.

Mr. Navan .N Middle School English Facilitator



Parent Talk

As Benjamin Franklin once said, "An investment in knowledge pays the best interest" and the Geekay World School lives up to it by offering the best education system to our children.

I am delighted to be a part of such a wonderful community where each child is taken care of and given importance. I, as a mother of Samhithapaari , have been through every stage of my child's development in this school for more than 12 years. Their infrastructure and school environment makes the child comfortable to explore and be more optimistic . The Geekay World School trains your child not only academic skills but also other extra curricular activities like swimming , skating , cultural arts ,sports , etc. The school also offers competitive exams in their curriculum . The teachers give priority to mould children into better and responsible citizens of the society , and what more could you ask for ?

Dr.R.Kanimozhi P/O Samhitha, Grade 9

News Release

ஒருங்கிணைந்த வேலூர் மாவட்ட டான்ஸ் மேளாவில்

ராணிப்பேட்டை ஜி.கே. உலக பள்ளி சாம்பியன்

ராணிப்பேட்டை

ஒருங்கிணைந்த வேலூர் மாவட்ட பள்ளிமாணவ, மாணவிகளுக்கான டான்ஸ்மேளாவில்ராணிப்பேட்டை ஜி.கே. உலக பள்ளி மாணவர்கள் முதலிடம் பிடித்து சாம்பியன் பட்டத்தை வென்றனர்.

வேலூர் ரவுண்டு டேபிள்-23 மற்றும் வேலூர் லேடிஸ் சர்க்கிள் 41 இணைந்து பள்ளி மாணவ, மாணவிகளுக்கான டான்ஸ் மேளாவை கடந்த 22 ஆண்டுகளாக நடத்தி வருகின்றன. அந்த அமைப்புகள் சார்பில் கடந்த மாதம் 25-ம் தேதி 2022 -23 ம் ஆண்டுக்கான பள்ளி மாணவ, மாணவிகளுக்கான டான்ஸ் மேளா நடைபெற்றது.

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Cambridge Biology

Facilitator, The Geekay

Monthly planner

March 2023

DATE	DAY	EVENT
1	WEDNESDAY	Colour of the Month- Brown for Pre-Primary
2	THURSDAY	Unit Test - 4 ends for G6 - G8
4	SATURDAY	Home PTM
7	TUESDAY	In-door Activity: Fruits and vegetable carving for K1, Spot the Community Helpers - K2, Digital world - K3 Unit test-4 Ends for G1-5
8	WEDNESDAY	Holi Celebration K1- G8
9	THURSDAY	Field Trip: Visit to park-K3
10	FRIDAY	Talent hunt Show: Singing Idol- K1, Shake and Twirl-K2, Light up the Stage –K3
11	SATURDAY	Second Saturday Holiday
13	MONDAY	Hygiene Living Week begins for Pre-Primary Leadership Activity Begins for G1-G5 G1-3- Rock with Prop -Free style G4&5- Rock with Prop -Theme based IGCSE: End of the year examination begins for Grade 8 & 9 IGCSE Periodic Assessment 1 begins for Grade 10 & 12 New
17	FRIDAY	Hygiene Living Week ends for Pre-Primary
18	SATURDAY	Periodic Assessment 1 ends for Grade 10 & 12 New
20	MONDAY	Evaluation-3 begins for Pre-Primary
22	WEDNESDAY	Ugadi - Holiday
24	FRIDAY	Evaluation-3 ends for Pre-Primary
25	SATURDAY	Achiever's Day for Primary and Graduation Day- Grade 5
28	TUESDAY	Resource Person: Fruit & Vegetables - K1 , Community helpers - K2 Technology - K3
29	WEDNESDAY	End of the Year Examination begins for G1-G8
30	THURSDAY	End of the year examination ends for Grade 8 & 9 IGCSE

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